

To the Honorable Council City of Norfolk, Virginia

February 8, 2022

From: Jared M. Chalk

**Subject:** Outdoor Dining Encroachment at

1501 Colley Ave

Director of Development

Ward/Superward: 2/6

Approved:

Reviewed:

Item Number: C-2

Dr. Larry H. Filer II, City Manager

I. Recommendation: Adopt Ordinance

II. Applicant: Bobcolley, LLC, Barbaracolley, LLC, Arthurcolley, LLC, and Edholding, LLC

5607 Glendridge Drive, Suite 275

Atlanta, GA 30342

### III. Description:

This agenda item is an ordinance granting Bobcolley, LLC, Barbaracolley, LLC, Arthurcolley, LLC, and Edholding, LLC, ("Grantees") permission to encroach into the City of Norfolk's (the "City") right-of-way at 1501 Colley Avenue for the purpose of outdoor dining.

#### IV. Analysis

The City and the grantees entered into an encroachment agreement on May 1, 2017 and the agreement expires March 31, 2022. The City and the grantees both desire to continue the encroachment agreement. The grantees have been a good tenant and they have paid on time and maintained the encroachment well. The proposed Encroachment Agreement is for a period of five (5) years beginning April 1, 2022 and will expire March 31, 2027. The purpose of the encroachment agreement is for outdoor dining and for no other purpose.

### V. Financial Impact

The grantees shall pay the City an annual encroachment fee in the amount of \$1,290.00 to be paid monthly on the first day of each following month in the amount of \$107.50.

# VI. <u>Environmental</u>

There are no known environmental issues associated with this property.

### VII. <u>Community Outreach/Notification</u>

Public notification for this agenda item was conducted through the City's agenda notification process.

# VIII. <u>Board/Commission Action</u>

N/A

# IX. Coordination/Outreach

This letter and ordinance have been coordinated with the Department of Development and the City Attorney's Office.

## **Supporting Material:**

- Exhibit A to Ordinance (PDF)
- Aerial Map 1501 Colley Avenue (JPG)

Form and Correctness Approved: 840

Contents Approved:

Office of the City Attorney

DEPT. Development

NORFOLK, VIRGINIA

# Ordinance No.

AN ORDINANCE GRANTING BOBCOLLEY, LLC, BARBARACOLLEY, LLC, ARTHURCOLLEY, LLC AND EDHOLDING, LLC PERMISSION TO ENCROACH INTO THE RIGHT-OF-WAY AT 1501 COLLEY AVENUE FOR THE PURPOSE OF OUTDOOR DINING AND APPROVING TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THEENCROACHMENT AGREEMENT.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Norfolk:

Section 1:- That the terms and conditions of Agreement between Encroachment the City of Norfolk Bobcolley, LLC, Barbaracolley, LLC, Arthurcolley, LLC Edholding, LLC (the "Licensees"), a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A, are hereby approved, and in accordance therewith, permission is hereby granted to the Licensees to encroach into the right-of-way at 1501 Colley Avenue for the purpose of outdoor dining and for no other purpose.

Section 2:- That the City Manager and other proper officers of the City are hereby authorized to execute the Encroachment Agreement and do all things necessary for its implementation.

Section 3:- That the City Manager is further authorized to correct, amend or revise the Encroachment Agreement as he may deem advisable consistent with the intent of the Council as expressed therein.

Section 4:- That this ordinance shall be in effect from and after its adoption.

Attachments:

Exhibit A - Encroachment Agreement (14 pages)

### **EXHIBIT A TO ORDINANCE**

### **ENCROACHMENT AGREEMENT**

This **ENCROACHMENT AGREEMENT** ("Agreement") is made and entered into this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_, 2022, by and between the **CITY OF NORFOLK**, a municipal corporation of the Commonwealth of Virginia ("City"), and **BOBCOLLEY**, **LLC**, **BARBARACOLLEY**, **LLC ARTHURCOLLEY**, **LLC AND EDHOLDING**, **LLC**, all of which are Virginia limited liability companies (the "Licensees"), whose address is 5607 Glenridge Drive, Suite 275, Atlanta, Georgia 30342.

### **WITNESSETH:**

- 1. **ENCROACHMENT AREA:** City hereby grants permission to Licensees to encroach into the right-of-way at 1501 Colley Avenue approximately 215 +/- square feet, as shown on Exhibit A attached hereto ("Encroachment Area"), for the purpose of outdoor dining and for no other purpose.
- 2. <u>USE:</u> Licensees and their tenant(s), if any, shall be permitted to occupy the Encroachment Area for outdoor dining purposes in conjunction with the operation of a dining establishment.
- 3. **TERM; TERMINATION:** The term of the permission to encroach granted hereby shall be no longer than five (5) years and shall commence on April 1, 2022, or upon the effective date of any authorizing ordinance, whichever shall last occur, and shall terminate on March 31, 2027. However, it is expressly understood that the permission granted herein is subject to the right of revocation by the Norfolk City Council, and that in the event of such revocation, Licensees, and their tenant(s), if requested by City, shall remove the encroaching structures and shall cease using the Encroachment Area.
- 4. **COMPENSATION:** As compensation for the privilege of encroaching into the rights-of-way, Licensees shall pay City an annual encroachment fee in the amount of One

Thousand Two Hundred Ninety and 0/100 Dollars (\$1,290.00) to be paid in monthly installments of One Hundred Seven and 50/100 Dollars (**\$107.50**), beginning on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of April, 2022. The encroachment fee shall be paid by check payable to the "Norfolk City Treasurer" and sent to the Department of Development, 999 Waterside Drive, Suite 2430, Norfolk, VA 23510, Attention: Director.

- 5. **LATE FEES:** For any late payments received fifteen (15) days after the first of each month, Licensees shall pay a late fee of five percent (5%) of the amount not paid when due.
- 6. <u>UTILITIES:</u> City shall not be responsible for utilities of any type used within the Encroachment Area. Licensees shall pay all utility meter and utility services charges for all utilities, including but not limited to, gas, electricity, water, telephone, sewer, and any other utilities necessary to serve the Encroachment Area.
- 7. **REPAIRS:** Licensees, and their tenant(s), shall keep and maintain the Encroachment Area in good and complete state of repair and condition. Licensees, and their tenant(s), shall make all repairs and replacements of every kind to the sidewalks and paved areas of the Encroachment Area in order to preserve and maintain the condition of the Encroachment Area. All such repairs and maintenance shall be performed in a good and competent manner, be at least equal in quality and usefulness to the original components, and not diminish the overall value of the Encroachment Area.
- 8. **REQUIREMENTS OF PUBLIC LAWS:** Licensees, and their tenant(s), shall suffer no waste or injury to the Encroachment Area and shall comply with all federal, state, and municipal laws, ordinances and regulations applicable to the structure, use, and occupancy of the Encroachment Area. In addition, Licensees, and their tenant(s), shall be responsible for the correction, prevention and abatement of nuisances, violations or other grievances in, upon or connected with the Encroachment Area.

9. **RIGHT TO ENTER AND CURE:** City shall retain the right to enter upon the Encroachment Area at any time for the purpose of inspecting the Encroachment Area, ascertaining compliance with this Agreement, and making any repairs, which City deems necessary because of any failure of Licensees, and/or their tenant(s), to meet their obligations under this Agreement. The cost of any such repairs shall be deemed additional compensation payable to the City on demand. Any entry upon the Encroachment Area for cure and repair shall be accomplished by City at reasonable times and in the exercise of reasonable discretion by the City. The making of any repairs by City shall not constitute a waiver by City of any right or remedy upon Licensees's, and/or their tenant(s)', default in making repairs.

10. **NOTICE:** Any notice shall be in writing and shall be delivered by hand or sent by United States Registered or Certified Mail, postage prepaid, addressed as follows:

City: Office of Development

Attn: Director

999 Waterside Drive, Suite 2430

Norfolk, Virginia 23510

Licensees: c/o Stein Investment Group

5607 Glenridge Drive, Suite 275

Atlanta, Georgia 30342

With copies to: City Attorney

810 Union Street, Suite 900 Norfolk, Virginia 23510

Either party hereto may change their address to which said notice shall be delivered or mailed by giving notice of such change as provided above. Notice shall be deemed given when delivered (if delivered by hand) or when postmarked (if sent properly by mail).

11. **DESTRUCTION:** If the encroaching structures or any part thereof shall be damaged or destroyed by fire, lightning, vandalism, or by any other casualty or cause, the

permission granted hereby shall be automatically terminated unless the parties agree, in writing, to continue to permit the encroachments granted by this Agreement.

- NON-LIABILITY OF CITY: City shall not be liable for any damage or injury which may be sustained by Licensees, their tenant(s), or any other person as a consequence of the failure, breakage, leakage or obstruction of the water, plumbing, steam, gas, sewer, waste or spoil pipes, roof, drains, leaders, gutters, valleys, downspouts or the like, or of the electrical, ventilation, air conditioning, gas, power, conveyor, refrigeration, sprinkler, hearing or other systems, elevators or hoisting equipment, if any, upon the Encroachment Area, or by reason of the elements, or resulting from acts, conduct or omissions on the part of Licensees, their tenant(s), or its agents, employees, guests, licensees, invitees, assignees or successors, or on the part of any other person or entity.
- 13. **REMOVAL OF SNOW:** Licensees, and their tenant(s), agree to remove or cause to be removed, as the need for the same arises, snow and ice from the Encroachment Area.
- 14. **ALTERATIONS:** Licensees, and their tenant(s), covenant and agree that they will not make any improvements, changes installations, renovations, additions, or alterations in and about the Encroachment Area without the prior written consent of the City other than the approval given by Norfolk's Design Review Committee and Norfolk's Planning Commission. If Licensees, and/or their tenant(s), install or make any improvements, additions, installations, renovations, changes on or to the Encroachment Area with the approval of City, Licensees, and their tenant(s), hereby agree to remove, if requested by City, any improvements, additions, installations, and renovations, changes on or to the Encroachment Area upon termination of this Agreement. In the event Licensees, and/or their tenant(s), fail to remove the improvements, additions, installations, renovations, and changes on or to the Encroachment Area when requested to do so by City, then the City may remove the improvements, additions, installations, and changes.

Licensees, and their tenant(s), shall be jointly and severally liable for paying for the cost of such removal.

- 15. **ASSIGNMENT AND SUBLETTING:** City and Licensees agree that the permission to encroach granted hereby is for the benefit of Licensees and their tenant(s) and may not be assigned by Licensees without express authorization by the City. Further, upon Licensees' lease of the premises to a tenant, Licensees shall have any such tenant execute a copy of this Agreement, acknowledging acceptance of the terms and conditions set forth herein.
- Encroachment Area to City and remove all goods and chattels and other personal property therefrom upon termination of the permission granted hereby. Licensees, and their tenant(s), shall return the Encroachment Area to the City in as good order and condition as it was at the beginning of Licensees' use of the Encroachment Area. If Licensees, and their tenant(s), have been requested to remove and fail to remove all items from the Encroachment Area upon termination hereof, City is authorized to remove and dispose of any such personal property and Licensees, and their tenant(s), shall be jointly and severally liable to City for the cost of any removal and disposal.
- 17. **INSURANCE:** Licensees, and/or their tenant(s), shall maintain in full force and effect Commercial General Liability ("CGL") insurance with a combined single limit policy of bodily injury, death and property damage insurance of One Million and 0/100 Dollars (\$1,000,000) per occurrence and Two Million and 0/100 Dollars (\$2,000,000) general aggregate insuring against all liability arising out of the use, occupancy, or maintenance of the Encroachment Area and appurtenant areas. CGL insurance shall be written on an approved ISO form for coverage in the Commonwealth of Virginia, and shall cover liability arising from premises, operations, independent contractors, products-completed operations, personal injury, and liability assumed under insured contract. The City, its officers, employees, agents and representatives shall be named

as additional insured on any such policy. Coverage shall be evidenced by a Certificate of Insurance provided to the City within thirty (30) days after adoption of this Agreement. All insurance policies and certificates shall provide for thirty (30) days advance notice in writing to City if the insurance is cancelled or modified. Licensees, and their tenant(s), shall inform the City Attorney and the Department of Development within fifteen (15) days of receiving such notice or cancellation, and immediately obtain coverage compliant with this agreement.

Further, Licensees, and their tenant(s), shall maintain the applicable statutory Workers' Compensation Insurance, and Employer's Liability Insurance with a limit of at least Five Hundred Thousand and 0/100 Dollars (\$500,000) per accident/disease, and policy limit of Five Hundred Thousand and 0/100 Dollars (\$500,000) covering any of Licensees' employees, as well as its tenant's employees, whose work occurs within the premises which are subject to this agreement.

- 18. **INDEMNIFICATION**: Licensees, and their tenant(s), shall indemnify and save harmless City from all fines, penalties, costs, suits, proceedings, liabilities, damages, claims and actions of any kind arising out of the use and occupation of the Premises by reason of any breach or nonperformance of any covenant or condition of this Agreement by Licensees, or their tenant(s), or by Licensees', or their tenant(s)', intentional act or negligence, and not caused in whole or in part by City. This indemnification shall extend to all claims of any person or party for death or injury to persons and damage to any property, and to legal expenses, including reasonable attorney's fees, incurred by City in the defense of such claims or incurred by City as a result of a breach of any provision of this Agreement by Licensees, and/or their tenant(s), but does not extend to circumstances caused in whole or in part by City.
- 19. **FIXTURES:** City covenants and agrees that no part of the improvements constructed, erected or placed by Licensees, or their tenant(s), in the Encroachment Area shall be or become, or be considered as being, affixed to or a part of the right of way, and any and all

provisions and principles of law to the contrary notwithstanding, it being the specific intention of City and Licensees, and their tenant(s), to covenant and agree that all improvements of every kind and nature constructed, erected or placed by Licensees, and/or their tenant(s), in the Encroachment Area shall be and remain the property of Licensees, and/or their tenant(s), unless such improvements are not removed upon termination of this Agreement.

### 20. **ENVIRONMENTAL:**

- (a) For purposes of this section:
- (i) "Hazardous Substances" include any pollutants, dangerous substances, toxic substances, hazardous wastes, hazardous materials or hazardous substances as defined in or pursuant to the Resource and Conservation Recovery Act (42 U.S.C. § 6901 et seq.) (RCRA), the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (42 U.S.C. § 9601 et seq.) (CERCLA) or any other federal, state, or local environmental law, ordinance, rule or regulation.
- (ii) "Release" means releasing, spilling, leaking, pumping, pouring, emitting, emptying, discharging, injection, escaping, leaching, disposing, or dumping.
- (iii) "Notice" means any summons, citation, directive, order, claim, litigation, investigation, proceeding, judgment, letter or other communication, written or oral, actual or threatened, from any authority of the Commonwealth of Virginia, the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) or other federal, state or local agency or authority, or any other entity or any individual, concerning any intentional act or omission resulting or which may result in the Release of Hazardous Substances into the waters or onto the lands of the Commonwealth of Virginia, or into waters outside the jurisdiction of the Commonwealth of Virginia or into the "environment," as such terms are defined in CERCLA. "Notice" shall include the imposition of any lien on any real property, personal property or revenues of Licensees, and/or

their tenant(s), including but not limited to the Licensees', or their tenant(s)', interest in the Encroachment Area or any of Licensees', and/or their tenant(s), property located thereon, or any violation of federal, state or local environmental laws, ordinances, rules, regulations, governmental actions, orders or permits, or any knowledge, after due inquiry and investigation, or any facts which could give rise to any of the above.

- (b) To the extent that Licensees, and their tenant(s), may be permitted under applicable law to use the Encroachment Area for the generating, manufacture, refining, transporting, treatment, storage, handling, disposal, transfer or processing of Hazardous Substances, solid wastes or other dangerous or toxic substances, Licensees, and their tenant(s), shall insure that said use shall be conducted at all times strictly in accordance with applicable statutes, ordinances and governmental rules and regulations. Licensees, and their tenant(s), shall not cause or permit, because of any intentional or unintentional act or omission, a Release of Hazardous Substances in the Encroachment Area. If any such intentional or unintentional act or omission causes a Release of Hazardous Substance in the Encroachment Area, Licensees, and their tenant(s), shall promptly clean up and remediate such Release in accordance with the applicable federal, state and local regulations and to the reasonable satisfaction of City.
- (c) Licensees, and their tenant(s), shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local environmental laws, ordinances, rules and regulations, and shall obtain and comply with all permits required thereunder, as well as under any successor or new environmental laws. Upon the receipt of any Notice, Licensees, and their tenant(s), shall notify City promptly in writing, detailing all relevant facts and circumstances relating to the Notice.
- (d) The requirements of this section shall apply to any successor in interest to Licensees, and/or their tenant(s), whether due to merger, sale of assets or other business combination or change of control.

- (e) Licensees, and their tenant(s), hereby agrees to defend (with counsel satisfactory to City) and indemnify and hold City harmless from and against any and all claims, losses, liabilities, damages and expenses (including, without limitation, reasonable cleanup costs and attorney's fees arising under this indemnity) which may arise directly or indirectly from any use or Release of Hazardous Substances in the Encroachment Area and losses and claims against City resulting from Licensees', and/or their tenant(s), failure to comply strictly with the provisions of this section. The provisions of this section shall survive the termination of this permission granted by this Agreement.
- (f) City agrees that Licensees shall not be responsible or liable for environmental conditions existing on or about the Encroachment Area prior to the occupancy by Licensees and/or their tenant(s).
- 21. **LIENS OR ENCUMBRANCES:** If because of any act or omission of Licensees, and/or their tenant(s), any mechanic's lien or other lien, charge or order for the payment of money shall be filed against any portion of the Encroachment Area, Licensees, and their tenant(s), shall, at their own cost and expense, cause the same to be discharged of record or bonded within ninety (90) days after written notice from the City to Licensees, and/or their tenant(s), of the filing thereof, and Licensees, and/or their tenant(s), shall have the right to contest the validity of such lien if they so choose.
- 22. **APPLICABLE LAW:** The permission granted by this Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia. Any suit or legal proceeding relating to permission granted hereby shall be brought only in the state or federal courts located in Norfolk, Virginia.
- 23. **WAIVER OF TRIAL BY JURY:** To the extent permitted by law, City and Licensees, and their tenant(s), mutually waive their rights to trial by jury in any action, proceeding,

or counterclaim brought by either party against the other with respect to any dispute or claim arising out of the permission to encroach granted to Licensees, and their tenant(s), by this agreement.

### 24. **OTHER REQUIREMENTS:**

- (a) Licensees, and their tenant(s), shall comply with the City of Norfolk's Outdoor Dining Policy, as amended from time to time.
- (b) Licensees, and their tenant(s), shall comply with all requirements of the City of Norfolk Department of Public Health with respect to the use of the Encroachment Area.
- (c) The use of the Encroachment Area shall be subject to the jurisdiction and review of the City of Norfolk's Design Review Committee.
- (d) Licensees', and their tenant(s)', use of the Encroachment Area shall not interfere with any water meters or sewer cleanouts.
- (e) A trashcan compatible in design and style with the table and chairs will be provided for the outdoor dining, and trash shall be removed daily.
- (f) Tables and chairs will be arranged according to plan approved by Norfolk'sDesign Review Committee.
- 25. <u>TITLES AND HEADINGS</u>: Titles and headings are inserted in this Agreement for reference purposes only and shall not be used to interpret the Agreement.
- 26. **SEVERABILITY**: Each provision of this Agreement must be interpreted in a way that is valid under applicable law. In the event that any provision or portion of this Agreement is determined by a court of competent jurisdiction to be void, invalid, or otherwise unenforceable, such provision or portion shall be deemed reformed, insofar as is possible, to cure the defect and give maximum effect to the intent of the City and Licensees, and their tenant(s), entering into this Agreement, and in any event the remainder of the Agreement shall continue in full force and effect.

27. **ENTIRE UNDERSTANDING**: This Agreement constitutes the entire understanding between or on behalf of the City and Licensees, and their tenant(s), and supersedes any prior understandings and/or written or oral agreements between them or on their behalf respecting the subject matter herein. There are no representations, agreements, arrangements, or understandings, oral or written, between and among the parties hereto relating to the subject matter of this Agreement, which are not fully expressed herein.

This Agreement may be modified or amended only by a writing signed and dated by both parties. All amendments shall be incorporated and made a part of this Agreement and attached hereto.

- 28. **AMENDMENTS**: This Agreement may be modified or amended only by a writing signed and dated by all parties. All amendments shall be incorporated and made a part of this Agreement and attached hereto.
- 29. <u>SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS</u>: In the event Licensees assigns, conveys, sells, or otherwise disposes of their interest in the property located at 1501 Colley Avenue to a party other than an affiliated entity, the permission granted by this Agreement shall immediately terminate. Any such successor in interest to Licensees that desires to encroach into the right-of-way must submit a new application for approval by the City.
- during which any term of this Agreement is in effect, Licensees nor their tenant(s) shall not knowingly employ any unauthorized alien. For purposes of this section, an "unauthorized alien" shall mean any alien who is neither lawfully admitted for permanent residence in the United States nor authorized to be employed either by Title 8, Section 1324a of the United States Code or the U.S. Attorney General.

- 31. **AUTHORITY TO EXECUTE:** The terms of this Agreement are contractual and not mere recital, and the individuals executing this Agreement hereby represent and warrant that they have full and complete authority to covenant and agree as herein provided and to execute this Agreement on behalf of the parties hereto.
- 32. <u>AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE</u>

  <u>COMMONWEALTH:</u> Licensees hereby represents that they are organized as a stock or nonstock corporation, limited liability company, business trust, or limited partnership or registered as
  a registered limited liability partnership and is authorized to transact business in the
  Commonwealth as a domestic or foreign business entity if so required by Title 13.1 or Title 50 or
  as otherwise required by law.
- 33. **COUNTERPARTS**: The Agreement may be signed in counterparts. The parties hereto agree that facsimile or email signatures shall have the full force and effect of original signatures.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF,** the parties hereto have executed or have caused this Encroachment Agreement to be executed by their duly authorized officers and their corporate seals to be hereunto affixed and attested, all as of the day and year first above written.

### **BOBCOLLEY, LLC**

ву:		 
Name (Printed):		 
Title:		
BARBARACOLLI	EY, LLC	
By:		
Name (Printed):		
Title:		

# ARTHURCOLLEY, LLC

	Ву:
	Name (Printed):
	Title:
	EDHOLDING, LLC
	By:Name (Printed):
	Title:
	CITY OF NORFOLK
	Ву:
Attest:	City Manager
City Clerk	_
Approved as to Contents:	
Director of Development	
Approved as to Form and Correctness:	
Assistant City Attorney	
<b>Tenant Endorsement and Acceptance:</b>	
By the endorsement below, the undersign as the Tenant	ned, in his/her capacity as or of the property located at 1501 Colley Avenue, Norfolk
Virginia, does hereby represent and acknow	wledge his/her understanding and agreement to the terms Agreement, to which this Tenant Endorsement and
Acceptance is made a part.	Tenant:
	By: Title:
	1100
Date Signed:	



